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SUBJECT: AVAILABILITY OF C-130 AIRCRAFT

REF: A. MBABANE 0159; B. GABORONE 1080

1. ON FEBRUARY 5, EMBOFF HAD DISCUSSION WITH MR. N.T.H. WARRINGTON, MANAGER OF TONKWANE ESTAXWR, REGARDING PURCHASE OF C-130 AIRCRAFT. ACCORDING TO WARRINGTON, AIRCRAFT WILL ONLY BE USED TO TRANSPORT ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT BETWEEN THE UNITED KINGDON AND SAUDI ARABIA. WARRINGTON STATED THAT THE C-130'S WOULD NOT REPEAT NOT BE USED IN SOUTHERN AFRICA.

2. FURTHER INFORMATION WILL BE PROVIDED DEPARTMENT AND USDOC AS IT BECOMES AVAILABLE.

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